Peace Officer Standards and Training 2022 Investigations Action Report

POST Investigations Activity

In 2022 POST Investigations conducted the following investigative activity:

Total complaints reviewed Total new cases opened Total cases presented to POST Council	417 135 56
Total cases closed with no-action following investigation	31
Total cases closed by voluntary relinquishment	18

POST Council Activity

In 2022 the POST Council administered the following disciplinary sanctions during the scheduled council meetings:

New Cases Reviewed	52
Sanctions Issued:	
Revocations issued	3
Suspensions of four (4) years issued	1
Suspensions of three and one half (3 ½) years issued	2
Suspensions of three (3) years issued	3
Suspensions of two and one half (2 1/2) years issued	0
Suspensions of two (2) years issued	7
Suspensions of twenty-one (21) months issued	1
Suspensions of one- and one-half years (1 1/2) years issued	8
Suspensions of fifteen (15) months issued	0
Suspensions of one (1) year issued	7
Suspensions of nine (9) months issued	2
Suspensions of six (6) months issued	4
Suspensions of three (3) months issued	2
Indefinite suspension	3
Letter of caution issued	14
Returned to POST	1
Certifications Sanctioned:	
Certified Law Enforcement Officers sanctioned	27
Certified Correctional Officers sanctioned	16
Certified Special Function Officers sanctioned	6
Certified Dispatchers sanctioned	7
*Note: officers with dual certification (LEO and Corrections) are included in t	he LEO numbers above
Cases Related to Alcohol or Drug Use:	
Primary alcohol related offense	11
Alcohol secondary contributor	1
Primary prescription drug offense	1
Prescription drug secondary contributor	1

Primary controlled substance (street drug) offense 2
Controlled substance secondary contributor 1

Definition: Primary offense means the consumption of alcohol or drugs was the primary cause of the offense (as in DUI or possession of a controlled substance). Secondary contributor means alcohol or drugs were a factor in the case, but not the primary cause (as in domestic violence or assault where the subject had consumed alcohol or was intoxicated).

<u>Incidents of Misconduct Presented to The Council:</u>

Driving under the influence/impaired driving	10
Falsification of a government record	8
Disorderly conduct	6
Wildlife violations	4
BCI/UCJIS violation	3
Electronic communications harassment	3
Possession/use of a controlled substance	3
Assault	2
Dishonest in violation of policy	2
GRAMA violation	2
Intoxication	2
Official misconduct	2
Open container of alcohol in a vehicle	2
Sexual conduct on-duty	2
Aggravated Assault	1
Criminal mischief	1
Criminal trespass	1
Kidnapping	1
Lying under Garrity	1
Misuse of a prescription drug	1
Possession/consumption/purchase of alcohol by a minor	1
Reckless driving	1
Reckless endangerment	1
Theft	1
Unfit for duty	1